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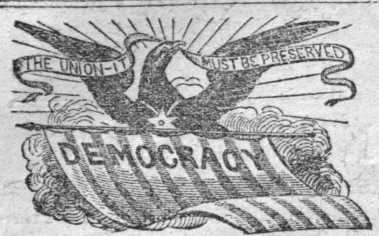
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have been ingeniously placed, marking the minute and the second, for the day as well as the night, by means of electricity. This is the first application at Paris, on a grand scale, of electricity as a regulator of public clocks. The experiment succeeds perfectly.

The Democratic Banner

EDITED BY L. HARPER.

"HE IS A FREEMAN WHOM THE TRUTH MAKES FREE."



Mount Vernon

TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 9, 1856

FOR PRESIDENT,
JAMES BUCHANAN,
OF PENNSYLVANIA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE,
OF KENTUCKY.

Democratic Presidential Electors of Ohio.

Senatorial Electors.
WILLIAM KENNEDY, of Belmont.
ALEXANDER P. MILLER, of Butler.

Congressional Delegates.
1. SHELTON I. KELLOGG, of Hamilton.
2. HENRY F. SEDAM, of Hamilton.
3. DAVID CLARK, of Montgomery.
4. J. H. THOMAS, of Darke.
5. EDWARD FOSTER, of Williams.
6. MICHAEL H. DAVIS, of Clermont.
7. WILLIAM CROSBY, of Warren.
8. WILLIAM KESNER, of Clark.
9. GEORGE SEENA, of Seneca.
10. LEVI DUNGAN, of Jackson.
11. ALFRED McVEIGH, of Fairfield.
12. JACOB SLIGH, of Franklin.
13. JOHN TIFT, of Haron.
14. JOHN C. MYERS, of Medina.
15. JOSEPH DUNN, of Coshocton.
16. JAMES M. GAYLORD, of Morgan.
17. BENJAMIN P. SPRIGGS, of Noble.
18. ALPHONSO HART, of Portage.
19. HENRY H. DODD, of Cuyahoga.
20. GEORGE S. GILBERT, of Ashland.
21. GEORGE COOK, of Harrison.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Judge of the Supreme Court,
RUFUS P. HANEY.
For Judge of the Supreme Court, to fill vacancy,
CORRENTON W. KEARLE.
Board of Public Works,
WAYNE GRISWOLD.
Commissioner of Common Schools,
H. H. HANEY.

Major Sapp's Dying "Shriek."

It was announced by handbills posted all over the city last week that Major Sapp had "arrose" and would speak at George's Hall, on Thursday evening. In company with a few friends we attended the meeting expecting to hear a manly and candid explanation of his course in Congress, especially his vote on Dunn's bill to legalize slavery in Kansas. The Hall was about half filled, and before he had spoken half an hour, a large portion of the audience left, utterly mortified and disgusted at the miserable failure. We were aware that the Major, although a great "shrieker," is a most wretched public speaker; but on this occasion, he sadly disappointed even his best friends. He made a perfect failure! He "hemmed and hawed," floundered and heaved; but totally failed to satisfy his hearers in regard to his vote in favor of Slavery. In fact, he was compelled to admit that he voted for Dunn's Bill, but excused himself for so doing by saying that he wished to vote for the restoration of the Missouri Compromise, which contains the Fugitive Slave Law! Oh, Major, that is only making the matter ten times worse. You are a gone chicken this year, my old fellow! To use your old classical language, the Democracy will "come down upon you like a beaver on a salad bed!"

After Major SAPP finished his "shrieking" for poor "bleeding Kansas" the Editor of this paper announced to the meeting his determination to reply on Friday evening, after which Mr. DELANO spoke for about half an hour in his usual grandiloquent style, on the "same subject continued"—poor "bleeding Kansas."

In regard to our speech on Friday evening, we have nothing to say editorially; but we give place to the following communication on that subject, from the pen of an esteemed friend:

MR. HARPER—I had the pleasure, on Friday evening last, of listening to your speech in reply to the attacks made upon you and the Democratic party, on the evening before, by Messrs. Delano and Sapp, and regard it not only as a complete refutation of the anti-Democratic tirade delivered by them, but a triumphant vindication of the principles of the great Democratic party. Without flattery, I fearlessly assert that every position you took was fully sustained by able and convincing argument, as well as by authority.—The disunion sentiments uttered and maintained by the leaders of the Black Republican party, are gall and wormwood to Delano and Sapp, because they know the mass of the people are devotedly attached to the Union which Washington helped to form, and the government which Washington administered; and hence the extracts you read from speeches of Giddings, Wade, Burlingame and others of that faction, fall like a wet blanket upon them. Delano is particularly sensitive on the subject. His anti-war "starve the army" speech in Congress, in which he said he would rather see the Union shattered into ten thousand fragments, than see slavery extended, like Banquo's ghost, stares him in the face, and makes the galled jade wince!

Sapp's late vote in support of Dunn's bill to establish slavery in Kansas and Nebraska, conflicts so palpably with his shrieking hypocritical cant about bleeding Kansas, that they have become exceedingly sore upon the subject. The manner in which you probed the festering ulcers of these political scoundrels, with powerful effect upon the honest, thinking portion of our political opponents present. The Democrats were delighted—the Black Republicans discomfited, and the sober Union loving opponents of Democracy edified. The meeting done good, as I learn a number were hopefully converted to the truth. VERITAS.

Murderous Assault.

Boston, Sept. 1.
On Saturday Henry Switzer, a wealthy gentleman residing at Jamaica Plains, called at the house of John Bancroft, a colored man, to engage him to do some work. Finding Bancroft intoxicated and abusing his wife, he remonstrated, whereupon Bancroft struck him with a piece of wood with so much violence that no bones are entertained of Mr. Switzer's recovery. Bancroft fled and has not yet been arrested.

Now, if this Bancroft had been a white man instead of a nigger, he would be speedily arrested and brought to punishment. But as it stands we presume the nigger loving Abolitionists of Massachusetts will protect him from all danger.

ABOLITION COUNTY CONVENTION.

This body, which assembled at Apollo Hall, in Mt. Vernon, on Monday, September 1st, made the following nominations:

Sheriff—Israel Underwood.
Auditor—John Lamb.
Prosecuting Attorney—W. Fletcher Sapp.
Commissioners—Jacob Bell and Wm. McClelland.
Recorder—Calvin Bangh.
Coroner—Eli Ellis.

As the Convention transacted business with closed doors, or rather excluded all persons who were not delegates. We are unable to give the balloting to our readers. But we learn that Mr. Underwood was nominated for Sheriff on the first ballot, having received the votes of nearly all the delegates. His secret plans succeeded admirably,—far beyond the expectations of himself and his friends. The slanders that were so industriously circulated against the present incumbent, Mr. STONE, had the effect that their authors designed. That gentleman has been stricken down, literally butchered, by a set of unprincipled Abolitionists and Know Nothings, who professed to be his friends. One of these men, (John Beatty,) wrote secret letters to different townships, instructing the "Republicans" to send men as delegates to the Convention, who would oppose Strong and support Underwood.

The secret machinery did its work in securing Mr. Underwood's nomination, but he and his friends will find it quite a different matter when they come to ask the people to ratify their acts at the polls. The Democrats will certainly elect their Sheriff, this year by a sweeping majority. The Reverend John Lamb, we understand, was re-nominated for Auditor without opposition. He is a fanatical, hot-headed Abolitionist, and a very unscrupulous politician. He has organized more Know Nothing Lodges than any other man in Knox county, and will pray, preach, talk politics and utter profane language, just as occasion requires. He is the same Reverend gentleman who declared from the pulpit, while delivering a political sermon on the Sabbath, that "any man who will stand upon the Cincinnati Platform, his face and heart are as black as Hell and Damnation!"

Fletcher Sapp, the nominee for Prosecuting Attorney, has distinguished himself on account of his total incapacity and utter failure as a public prosecutor. He has failed in almost every case he has tried. The costs and taxes he has saddled upon the people would erect a very decent Court House. And notwithstanding his poor success, he has had his salary raised beyond what was ever heretofore paid to a prosecutor in Knox county. He is a great "shrieker," however, for poor "bleeding Kansas," but thinks it is a small matter to bleed the poor people of Knox county.

Of the candidates for Commissioner, but little can be said. Mr. Bell is a very worthy farmer who formerly acted with the Democratic party. Mr. McClelland is a good citizen, and is well qualified for the office for which he has been nominated. Calvin Bangh, the candidate for Recorder, is a stranger to us, and we have been told that he is also a stranger to all the temperance societies in Knox county. Eli Ellis, the candidate for Coroner, is said to be a very worthy man, and we suppose about the only official duty he will be called upon to discharge will be to hold an inquest over the dead body of Abolitionism this fall!

A Chance for Fremont Men.

The following propositions, for the consideration of Fremont "confidence" men, if such men can be found, have been left with us for publication by Mr. JEROME ROWLEY, of this county. It is scarcely necessary to add that Mr. R. is a perfectly responsible man, and stands ready at any moment to carry out all he proposes in this offer:

AN OFFER:
I will bet \$500 that Buchanan will beat Fremont in Pennsylvania;
\$500 that Buchanan will beat Fremont in New York;
\$500 that Buchanan will beat Fremont in Illinois;
\$500 that James Buchanan will be the next President;
\$500 that I can name twenty States that will elect Buchanan.

The above to be in Real Estate, against other Real Estate, to be appraised at its cash valuation, and all to be taken together.

To any person who wishes to take the above bets, I will put up \$100 as a forfeit, until the property can be appraised, and deeds made out.

In addition, or by itself, I will bet from 40 to 500 acres of land, that Buchanan will beat Fremont in Illinois. JEROME ROWLEY.

Mt. Vernon, Sept. 3, 1856.

Democratic Nominations for Congress in Ohio.

The Democrats of this State have already made the following Congressional nominations:
Hamilton Districts—George H. Pendleton, William S. Groesbeck.
Butler District—C. L. Vallandigham.
Auglaize District—Dr. Dorsey.
Lucas District—A. P. Edgerton.
Franklin District—S. S. Cox.
Richland District—H. C. Brumback.
Brown District—J. R. Cockeril.
Ross District—Joseph Miller.
Lancaster District—William Medill.
Morgan District T. C. H. Smith.

These are all excellent nominations, and we feel pretty confident that the most of them will be elected. We predict that the next Congress will be composed of a large majority of National Union Democrats; and the great state of Ohio will do her full share towards bringing about so desirable a change.

Chances to Throw Away Money.

Gentlemen who have more money than they know what to do with, can step down to Buffalo and take the following propositions, published in the Courier of Saturday:

1st.—I offer to bet that MILLARD FILLMORE will receive a greater popular vote for President than JOHN C. FREMONT, in 1856, in the United States.
2d.—That JOHN C. FREMONT will not be elected President in 1856.
3d.—That JOHN C. FREMONT will not receive a majority of the Presidential votes of the State of New York in 1856.
\$100 to \$500 on all of the above propositions. MANUEL HENSHAW.

The Republican calls our great Mass Meeting a "State Convention." From the immense crowd present, no doubt the organ of the Freebooters supposed that all the Democrats in the State had concentrated in Mt. Vernon! Our neighbor will have to get used to these things.

Fillmore Stock Rising!

The Wolly Horse Running Behind!

Within the last few weeks a wonderful reaction has taken place throughout the country. Fremont has been losing every day, while BUCHANAN and FILLMORE have been rapidly gaining strength. A great many papers have taken down FREMONT's name, and run up that of FILLMORE, as their choice for the Presidency, and many new papers have been established which advocate FILLMORE's election.

The Capital City Fict at Columbus, a widely circulated and influential paper, has raised the Fillmore and Donelson flag, and proposes to do battle for that ticket until the election is over.

The Daily Cleveland, a spicy little sheet, has come out for Fillmore, and is firing red hot shot into the ranks of the Disunionists on the Reserve.

The Cincinnati Times announces that a new daily morning paper is about to be started in that city which will espouse the cause of the American party and advocate the election of Fillmore and Donelson. F. W. Johnston, formerly of the Columbian, is to be the editor.

The Bloomville (N. Y.) Union, a paper of wide circulation and much influence in the district where it is published, has run up the names of the American candidates, and now pitches into Fremont with telling effect.

The Grayville (Ill.) Herald has hoisted the Fillmore flag, and now takes rank among the National papers of the Union.

The New York Tribune admits that if Fillmore gets 5,000 vote in Illinois, the State will go for Buchanan.

"THE UNION FLAG."—We have received the first number of a neat little tri-weekly just started at Chillicothe, under the above title. It flies the flag of Fillmore and Donelson, and is full of vigor and fight.

The Cincinnati Times says: among the last accessions we notice the following:

The National American, a spirited and honest looking journal, makes its appearance from Pittsburgh, and from the manner in which it enlists, we judge it will be a most effective agent.

The Age is the name of a daily paper just started in New York, to advocate the election of Millard Fillmore.

The Banner is the title of a new paper just issued at Poughkeepsie, New York, in advocacy of the election of Fillmore. It is doing a good work.

The National Defender has cast forth its first number at Norristown, Pa., and with it unfurls to the breeze the banner of Fillmore and Donelson. It is one of the finest sheets published in Pennsylvania.

The Straight Whig is the name of a new and spirited journal started at Portland to oppose the Freebooters. Scores of leading men of the State are in the movement.

Another new Fillmore paper is about to be started in Indiana. It is under the control of Milton George, of the New Albany Tribune, and it will be issued at Indianapolis and New Albany simultaneously.

The American party of Texas have established a new Fillmore and Donelson paper, the Harrison Flag, in Harrison county.

The Telegraph, published at Warren, Rhode Island, has nailed the Union flag to its masthead, and expresses a deliberate conviction that the American ticket will be successful.

The Bloomville, Delaware county, New York Mirror, comes out with the stars and stripes nailed to the fore-castle. It is an out and out Fillmore paper, and has an extensive circulation.

The Templar and Watchman, published at Ithaca, New York, has hoisted in the Fremont flag, and advocates the election of Fillmore and Donelson.

The Illinois Fillmore Bugle, published at Petersburg, Ill., a spirited weekly, has just reached its third number.

The Jersey City Courier comes out this week in recantation of Fremontism, and with the Fillmore Flag at its mast head. Speaking of the change from the advocacy of Fremont to that of the American candidate, it says:

"The progress of events has convinced us that the outcry in behalf of the poor oppressed African is a mere delusion, under which are hidden matters of far more momentous concern to the leaders and free pullers of that party."

The Independent Watchman, of Ithica, N. Y., a most influential paper, appears in its last issues minus the Fremont flag, which has previously stood at its head, and with that of Millard Fillmore in its stead. It says:

"We, at first, before the Philadelphia nominating convention, opposed the nomination of Col. Fremont on the grounds that were perfectly satisfactory to ourselves at least. It is not necessary to recapitulate those objections here. When we hoisted the name of Col. Fremont, we had strong hopes that these objections to him might be removed, but instead of this the matter prevents a worse and more alarming feature at this very moment."

The Mercer (Pa.) Republican cuts down the Fremont flag, and hoisted that of Fillmore. It now advocates Americanism, and the election of the American candidates. In speaking of the Fremont movement it says:

"We have said that the Kansas excitement had begun to wane, such is the fact, and no sane man will pretend to deny it, and as it subsides, in like proportion will the strength of Mr. Fremont diminish; with no merit of his own, must go down before the November election."

In alluding to the encouraging prospects of Mr. Fillmore it remarks:

In Allegheny county, where, a few weeks since, his strength consisted in a mere handful of men, there are to be found thousands who will support him.

In one town in Beaver county there has been a gain of over twenty within a week. In Lawrence county, the hot-bed of Abolitionism, we hear of Fillmore men springing up all over the county.

Hon. Arius Nye, of Marietta, has taken the stamp for Fillmore. We see, in the Marietta Republican, that he is announced to address a Fillmore club near Marietta. The Judge has too much consistency about him to run after a candidate who is unworthy the support of American.

CLOSED DOORS!

The Black Republican Know Nothing Convention which assembled on Monday last, excluded all persons but delegates. It was a regular secret Know Nothing affair; its managers being afraid or ashamed to transact business before the gaze of the world! These men have become so much accustomed to manage their political affairs in secret, obscure places, in the dead of night, that it seems to be impossible for them to do business at all with open doors! Who would belong to such a party?

A Rope Wended.

The True American, a Fremont paper published in Erie county, Pa., uses the following most revolting and infamous language:

"This twaddle about the 'Union' and its 'preservation' is so silly and sickening for any good effect. We think that the liberty of a single slave is worth more than all the Union God's universe can hold!"

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Mr. Cochran's Poles.

Our neighbor of the Republican has taken the "pole evil," and is now in a very dangerous situation. He has had a couple of Fremont and Free Beef poles raised, one in front of his office, and the other in front of his dwelling. The boys tell a pretty good story in regard to the latter raisin', which is too good to be kept. The "frolic" took place on last Monday evening; but as the pole was only about the size of those that support the telegraph wires, only about half a dozen of men and some two or three dozen of boys assembled to assist in the great undertaking. After the work was completed, three sickly cheers were given for Fremont, which were followed by three terrific shouts for Buchanan, which made the ears of our neighbor "tingle," as if a crockery store had fallen upon his head! The old fellow was then chilled upon for a "speech," when he responded, a few disjointed remarks on his favorite theme in free niggers and poor bleeding Kansas! After he concluded the boys gave three more whole-souled cheers for Buchanan which made our neighbor think that a streak of lightning had struck him!

Morgan Township.

This is one of the townships in Knox county that the Union-Sliders have all along boasted contained but fifteen men who will vote the Democratic ticket this fall. In refutation of such a senseless story it is only necessary to state the facts that at our great mass meeting on the 30th ult., there were FIFTY-FOUR DEMOCRATIC VOTERS in attendance from Morgan township, and even this number did not embrace by any means our entire strength in that township, as several good and true men were unavoidably detained at home. The largest flag in the procession was carried by the Morgan delegation, which was truly the Flag of our Union! A few men in Morgan township who in former years professed to be Democrats, are now acting with the Black Republican Disunionists; but these men are known to be Know Nothings, who voted against us last year and the year before; For the loss (?) of these men the Democracy will gain double as many voters, who are better and purer men. We predict that Morgan township will give a good account of herself this fall.

Ho ye Generation of Smokers!

Our friend John Eichelberger after listening to the speech of Major Sapp, bet the cigars with James G. Chapman, that the Southern States, for the purpose of representation, counted five slaves as three; and that the Northern States, did not count the negroes at all, but only the free white persons. Chapman got the Constitution and read it to Eichelberger, and Eichelberger acknowledged the corn, and agreed to pay the cigars.—Now how many others, like our friend Eichelberger, have been misled by "Freedom Shriekers?"

The fact is, five black men in the North count just as much as five white men, while five black slaves in the South count only equal to three black men in the free States. Some, that ought to know better, are ignorant enough to think, that a slave owner, can put into the ballot box three votes for every five slaves he owns! Now a slave owner that owns five hundred negroes can only put into the ballot box but one vote, just the same as you or your neighbor do in Knox County. We advise all our friends to meet Black Republicans in the same way Chapman did, "bet 'em," and then take out of your pocket the Constitution, and read it to them, and they will knock under!

[FOR THE BANNER.]

MR. LIBERTY, Sept. 1.

MR. EDITOR—I suppose that you have heard the sad news of five being killed and some twenty wounded, in this place, on Saturday, the 30th ult., in the war waged by the Black Republicans upon the Democratic delegation, for a certain banner while on its way to Mt. Vernon, on that day.

I am happy to inform you that none were killed except Fremont and Dayton. Their political death, on this occasion, was made manifest on that day, and their poor deluded followers felt much grieved and wounded at the sad casualty. During the day, however, they became desperate, and made some cowardly and indecent demonstrations toward our hickory pole, of which we will speak in some subsequent number of your paper, and give you a Daguerreotype view of the long haired procession that figured so conspicuously on that memorable occasion. We would report in full, now, but it is said that many talented pens are at work to express us next week, and if we are not killed by the literary pen of a certain Lord Cockatoo, who threatens us, we will report in full.

Yours,

NO ONE.

The Monarchists of Europe in Favor of Fremont's Election!

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The London Morning Chronicle, one of Queen Victoria's organs, deplores the election of Mr. Buchanan. It says:

We should be sorry to see Mr. Buchanan elected, because he is in favor of preserving the atrocious institutions as they exist, AND THE UNION OF THE STATES. There is no safety for European monarchial governments if the progressive spirit of the Democracy of the United States is allowed to succeed. ELECT FREMONT AND THE FIRST BLOW TO THE SEPARATION OF THE UNITED STATES IS EFFECTED!

Let every American patriot read and ponder these extracts well. It is evident that the Monarchists of Europe ardently desire the election of Fremont to the Presidency, as that event will undoubtedly lead to a dissolution of the Union, a result that the crowned heads across the water have been hoping for years.

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Pole Raising in Pleasant Township.
The Democracy of Pleasant township will raise a hickory pole, near Hopewell church, on Saturday, September 20th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. Dr. Critchfield, A. Baldwin Norton and James G. Chapman, will address the meeting. Let there be a good turn out.

Fremont's Beef Speculations.
We direct the attention of our readers, as well as every lover of the truth, to the Official Record spread before the public, on the first page of today's Banner, in regard to Fremont's extraordinary speculations and peculations in California.—No honest man after reading this exposition, can support Fremont for President.

The Israelites.
The Asmodean, the principal organ of the Hebrews in this country has raised the names of Buchanan and Breckinridge to its mast head.—In answer to a correspondent, it says: "Le 'Maccabee' reflect on the principles of the prophetic native American party, and give us his opinion of the position of the Israelites in America were any other candidate but Buchanan successful for the Presidency!"

The New York Tribune's Opinion of Col. Fremont in 1851.
In January, 1851, the New York Tribune contained the following notice of Colonel Fremont, whom it now lauds to the skies:

"If the members elect vote as they have voted in the Atlantic States, and as they would vote were they there again, a Whig will have Colonel Fremont's seat. As for Fremont himself, there is not at present the least hope for him. Both parties distinctly disavow him and his measures. His Cretaceous Bill has killed him. The fact of his coming here to the neglect of his duties in Congress, to electioneer for another term, has also been highly prejudicial to his interest."

GLAD TO HEAR IT.
We are told that the Black Republicans, since the Democracy beat them two to one, have determined to hold another Convention, on the 20th inst., to endeavor, if possible to have a larger crowd of persons here than were at the great Democratic meeting on the 30th ult. We are really glad to hear it! It is believed that the first gathering of the Disunionists made at least one hundred Democratic votes; and if their second meeting should double the first in numbers, it is fair to presume that it will have the effect of making at least two hundred more Democratic votes! The groans, insults, jeers and taunts of the Disunionists, are telling against them with wonderful effect. The Democracy are cool, calm, vigilant and determined; and being confident of victory, they will resort to no violence, nor will they disgrace themselves by using the "Border Ruffian" arguments of our opponents.

The Black List.

The following is a list of those 68 Black Republicans in the House of Representatives, who refused to vote for a prolongation of the session, so that the Army Supply bill might pass. The vote stood—in favor of prolonging the session 131; nays, 68—requiring two-thirds, the motion was lost:

NAYS.—Messrs. Albright, Allison, Barbour, Barclay, Bennett, of N. Y., Benson, Billinghurst, Bishop, Bliss, Buffington, Chaffee, Clark, of N. Y., Clarke of Penn., Clawson, Collins, Clumbuck, Dambell, Dick, Dodd, Durfee, Edie, Edwards, Emrie, Galloway, Giddings, Gilbert, Granger, Grow, Hall of Mass., Harlan, Howard, Horton of N. Y., Horton of Ohio, Howard, Kelsey, Knowlton, Leister, Matteson, McCarry, Morgan, Morrill, Murry, Nichols, Norton, Oliver, P. Y., Pearce, Pennington, Perry, Pettit, Pringle, Robinson, SAPP, Sherman, Simmons, Spinner, Stanton, Thorington, Trafton, Wade, Walbridge, Waldron, Washburne of Ill., Washburne of Me., Washburne of Wis., Welch, Wood, Woodruff and Woodworth—68.

Mark the traitors!

The Bloody Issue.

Under this head the Kansas correspondent of the New York Tribune has the following letter, which shows pretty clearly the character of the men who went to Kansas with Jim Lane:

"About one hundred of Lane's party, in clothing Dr. Cutler's, were on hand, and seemed to glory in an opportunity to fight on soon for principle. They are a fine looking set of men, and are of the right stamp to make Kansas free; that is, they have the nerve and the will to hew out their own fortunes freely and boldly. To morrow our camp moves into town to await further orders. The campaign seems begun. The third—last—monster invasion of Kansas is at hand, and the cry is, 'SPARE NOT.'"

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The following extract cannot be kept too prominently before the people. Wendell Phillips, a distinguished Fremont Abolitionist, who is avowedly in favor of a dissolution of the Union, in a late speech in Massachusetts, said:

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Fremont and the Know Nothings.

If Fremont is elected, the country will owe the American party a debt of gratitude; for it is not doing injustice to other noble advocates of free soil to say that the American organization in the East and West is the backbone of the Republican party.—*Albany State Register* (Fremont paper).

Again.

"Everywhere," says the Register, "except New York, the two titles (Know Nothingism and Black Republicanism) are indissolubly joined together in a holy wedlock."

The Army Appropriations.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.

The amount of estimates lying over to the Quarter Master General's Department, in consequence of the delay in the passage of the Army bill, reached about \$1,500,000, for which negotiations have been made, and will be forthwith transmitted. Orders have been issued from the Ordnance Department, for the resumption of work in the arsenals and armories where it was suspended.

The Yellow Fever.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.

There were no new cases of fever reported at Fort Hamilton, yesterday, and it is remarked that nearly all the cases have been of a mild type, and readily yielded to medicine.

Capt. Baker, of the U. S. Steamer Fashion, states that only three deaths have occurred among the crew of his vessel. At the hospital on Governor's Island, there are seven cases of fever under successful treatment. No new cases since Friday.

Large Fire and Heavy Loss.

HARTFORD, Sept. 1.

The large brass rolling mill of Seth Thomas & Co., in Plymouth Hollow, Ct., was burned down this morning. The building was of brick, and supposed to be fire proof. Loss \$100,000—no insurance.

Special Notices.

BEDFORD, Ont., May 8, 1886.

Among the many Patent Remedies of the day there are few, if any, surpassing or equaling in intrinsic merit, Bach's American Compound, which I sold a large amount the past season, and witnessed its happy effects in very many chronic cases of disease, I am constrained to acknowledge its surpassing merit for every medicinal agent, and I am confident that it will sustain its present high reputation as being one of the best medicines now in use.

Bach's American Compound owes its success to the intrinsic curative properties of the vegetable which compose it. It contains a Compound Fluid Extract of *Cinchona*, *Quinine*, *Iron*, *Steel*, *and* *other* *valuable* *ingredients*, which, by the long known to the Indians as a never failing cure for *Scorbutic* *Consumption*, *Humors* of the *Blood*, and chronic diseases in any part of the system. This medicine can now be had of all reliable dealers in the United States and Canada.

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Voice from Virginia.

CARIN POINT, Surrey county, Va.

Dr. Seth S. Hancox—I was in Baltimore in April, 1884, and from a paper I received of your Pills, recommended as a sovereign cure for the Epileptic Fits. At that time one of my servants had been afflicted with fits about twelve years. When reaching your Pills, I do not think she had had one since. My wife, though, is somewhat induced to believe she may have had one only. Enclosed you will find five dollars, for I suppose you can forward me no two boxes. I suppose you can forward them by mail. Your compliance will oblige me. Yours respectfully, M. P. SKEGGE.

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Dr. Roback's Success.

We have been inclined to receive with doubt the accounts of wonderful cures in desperate cases, with which the proprietors of patent medicines are accustomed to garnish their advertisements, but the effects produced by the Scandinavian Remedies of this distinguished Swede are so notorious, and so amply verified by direct personal testimony, as to put doubt and suspicion out of the question. The cases reported by the patients themselves, comprehend nervous complaints, dyspepsia, bilious disorders, fits, rheumatism, and almost every species of disease affecting the stomach, the skin, and the organs of respiration. Under these circumstances, we can have no objection in giving such important facts publicity in our columns. Hamlet says, "there is more in heaven and earth than is dreamed of in your philosophy," and every day convinces us that the science of medicine is not the exclusive property of "the faculty." Dr. Roback has acquired fame and fortune by his successful treatment of disease, and his Blood Purifier and Blood Pills are in general demand. See advertisement.

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See the cure of Mr. John Longdon, of Va., he had fixed and chronic Ague and Fever; chills twice a day for three years. Nothing permanently cured him until he tried Carter's Spanish Mixture; 3 bottles of this medicine restored him to health; nor has he had a chill since. He is only one out of a thousand who has experienced the life renewing effects of this valuable purifier of the blood. Sept. 9.

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From the Havana (N. Y.) Journal, March 24, 1855.

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Extract of a letter from the editor of the Niagara River

Dr. G. W. HALSEY.—Mr. Stanley, druggist at this place, has sold a great deal of "Forest Wine and Pills," and I am pleased to learn that they are universally commended for our most common diseases and Fever.

S. S. PACKARD, Editor of the Pilot.

Shocking Case of Rheumatism cured in 3 Weeks
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DR. G. W. HALSEY.—I reside at 32 Vestry street in this city. During the last two years I have been

I suffered with the Rheumatism that my friends told me I should not stand it through the coming winter. My legs were dreadfully swollen, and I suffered excruciating pain. In this situation I procured your Foster's Kidney and Bladder Pills and the Pills and the Wills' Kidney and Bladder Pills. In about a week I was able to walk to experience their good effects, and in three weeks I was able to go to work, which I had not done for eight months before.

M. LINCX, 32 Vestry St., N. Y. C.

Long standing Gonorrhea, General Debility and Dropsical Disorder, cured, at 23 Avenue C, New York.

Dr. HALSEY—Dear Sir,—My wife has been over 10 years troubled with a cough more than any other ailment she has ever had. She has been attended by many of the best Doctors, but never got any permanent relief until she took your Forest Wino and Pills. She has now taken one bottle of the Wine and less than a box of the Pills, which have so far restored her that I indulge the hope that as much more will complete the cure. My daughter also has been cured of General Debility and Dropsy by the use of the Forest Remedies.

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for all the following complaints, and it should be understood that it is the medical influence of both Remedies acting together in the blood which exerts the wonderful effects in the cure of obstinate diseases. Although the Pills alone are a *never-failing* Remedy in all such cases as require only purgatives, yet in Chronic Diseases both the Wine and the Pills are absolutely necessary.

The Forest Wine and Pills are warranted to Cure the most severe Colds, Coughs, and Pain in the Breast, Asthma, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Rheumatism and Gout. The Wine and Pills cure the Fevers

And Ague, for which complaint they have acquired high reputation. Ulcers, Boils, Blisters, Scabbies, Head, Ring-worm, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Itch, Eyes, and every kind of Humor, Jaundice, Femoral Complaints, Debility, Night Sweats, and Weak State of the Constitution, Billious Disorders, For Stomach and Morbid condition of the Bowels, Headache, Nervous Disorders and General Derangement of the System. Affections of the Bladder, Bronchitis, Billious Colic, Bowel Complaints, Dropsy, Flatulency, Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Pains in the Bone, Rheumatism, and all the Disorders, which arise from Impure Blood and Disordered Humors.

My Forest Wine is in large square bottles, one dollar per bottle, or six bottles for five dollars. For Pills twenty-five cents per box.

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Attained. Dr. Roback's Scandinavian Remedies actually perform what thousands have promised, but never accomplished. They purge from the blood the corrupt particles which create and feed disease. The basis of all the solid portions of the body is the blood, and if that fluid is pure, the whole organization must necessarily be vigorous, hardy and healthful. Hence, in the preparation and combination of the ingredients of his famous Scandinavian Remedies, Dr. Roback's great object was to produce a medicine which should *disinfect the blood*, in all cases. He succeeded, and the consequence is, that

the operation of his Scandinavian Blood Purifier or Blood Pills, upon almost every species of disease, like that of water upon the devouring element, literally extinguishing the malady. Persons suffering from debility from childhood, or of being infused into them by the mother, find a life-lengthening, strengthening, and refreshing benefit of life-creating, appetite, render digestion perfect, regulate the bowels, promote sleep, invigorate the reproductive organs, in both sexes, control all disorders of the liver, cure sores, boils, tumors and all skin diseases, and by imparting to the vital fluid new elements of health literally give life, a measure, instead of a

wearisome probation which it must always be to the invalid. Those remedies are composed solely of Swedish herbs of rare medicinal virtue, never before introduced in the practice of pharmacy. Physicians of the highest note, in the discoverer's native land and in other parts of Europe, have certified to the value of the medicines, and they have never yet administered without being followed by marked success. It is impossible to enumerate in an advertisement a tenth of the complaints for which they are infallible. Suffice it to say, that there is no disorder any organ, unless caused by malformation, for which

they are not adapted; and for the simple reason that they act directly upon the element which renews feeds and sustains all organs, viz., the **VENOUS BLOOD**. Make sure of the genuing articles by purchasing only of respectable dealers and regular agents, or Roback himself, Cincinnati, where he may be consulted, by letter as well as personally, in all complicated and difficult cases.

Price of the Scandinavian Blood Purifier, \$1 per bottle, or \$5 per half doz. Pills, 25 cents per box or five boxes for \$1.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 6, 1855

R. R. ROBACK—Dear Sir,—I should be indeed grateful if I failed to reply to your letter of the 11th ult., inquiring the effect of your remedies in my case. You say you do not wish to publish my reply, but simply to learn for your *own satisfaction* what the Scandinavian Remedies have done for me. But, dear Sir, I wish you to make my statement public, not only as a just tribute to your own skill, but to the benefit of others who may be suffering as I suffered, and might be cured as I have been cured. For more than six years, as you are aware, I endured a continuing

my martyrdom from the combined effect of chronic dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, and a most deplorable condition of the nervous system. Dr. Williams and three times visited New York for the purpose of consulting the most eminent medical men in that city. All was useless. I despaired of recovering my health and almost wished for death. It was at this time your advertisement caught my eyes, and I determined, as a forlorn hope, to try your *Scandinavian Purifier and Blood Pills*. Only five months had elapsed since I uncorked the first bottle and to

The first pill. Three words will tell the result, I feel; yes, in better health than I can recollect being enjoyed since my childhood. My recovery I owe to the Providence, I owe two you. I believe I have paid you about thirty-five dollars for medicine, and had every dollar been a hundred, they would have been cheap.

With deep gratitude I remain yours truly,
MARY ANN COMSTOCK

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